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### VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Ms. Sharla Dillon, Docket Room Manager 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

RE: Data Request No. 1 - Joint Petition of PAETEC Corp. and American Long Lines, Inc. for Approval of the Transfer of Control of Stock Ownership Docket No. 05-00011

Dear Ms. Dillon:

Enclosed please find an original and thirteen (13) copies of PAETEC Corp.'s ("PAETEC") response to the above-referenced data request. Please note that PAETEC respectfully requests confidential treatment of the enclosed Annual Report

Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed information, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Larissa A. Herbowy

Regulatory Analyst & CABS Mediator

PAETEC Communications, Inc.

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**Enclosures** 

# BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

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Chairman, Chief Executive Officer, and President

### Overview

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# Bradford M. Bono Chief Operating Officer

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Bradford M. Bono has served PAETEC Communications as President, Eastern Region, and as an Executive Vice President and Director since June of 1998. Mr. Bono also was appointed President, Southern Region, in April of 2000.

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Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Bono served as Vice President of Alternate Channel Sales for ACC Telecom. In this capacity, Mr. Bono held responsibility for the utilization of strategic business alliances, joint ventures, and other associations to market and sell products and services throughout the United States. Prior to joining ACC Telecom, Mr. Bono served as a co-founder of Vista International Communications, Inc., based in Mt. Arlington, New Jersey. Mr. Bono served as Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Vista, and served on the Board of Directors from 1991 to 1997. In August of 1997, Vista was acquired by ACC Telecom.

### Awards

Mr. Bono was recently recognized by The New Jersey Business News as a recipient of their "40 Under 40" award. In 1995, Mr. Bono was the winner of the NatWest Bank/Morris County Chamber of Commerce, New Jersey Young Entrepreneur of the Year. Mr. Bono is on the Board of Trustees at the Ronald McDonald House in Camden, New Jersey.

# Community

In 1997, Mr. Bono founded the Bradford M. Bono Charitable Trust. The trust was organized to assist several charities that specialize in the cure and treatment of various diseases affecting children.

### Education

Mr. Bono holds a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from the University of Delaware.

### Jeffrey L. Burke

Executive Vice President, Managed Services and Information Technology

### Overview

Jeffrey L. Burke serves PAETEC Communications as Executive Vice President, Managed Services and IT. He has held this post since March of 2003.

### History

Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Burke served as president of CXO Partners, an independent consulting firm focused on assisting emerging technology companies in achieving their business objectives. He was previously the Chief Executive Officer and co-founder of NetSetGo, Inc., a regional Internet professional services firm with offices in eight states across the eastern United States. Mr. Burke also served in executive roles at both Xerox Corporation and Digital Equipment Corporation where he successfully developed new technology-based service businesses.

### Community

Mr. Burke serves on the board of directors of the American Lung Association, Finger Lakes Region, and is a former board member and supporter of the Rochester & Syracuse Epilepsy Foundation. He also serves on the advisory board of numerous businesses, including Relevant Technologies, Emenete Business Services, Document Dynamics, 2Logical and Genesee Valley Trust.

### Education

Burke holds a Bachelors of Science degree in Accountancy from Bentley College.

# Edward J. Butler Jr.

**Co-Chief Operating Officer** 

### Överview

Edward J. Butler, Jr. serves PAETEC Communications as Co-Chief Operating Officer. In this capacity, Mr. Butler holds overall responsibility for PAETEC's Engineering and Operations organizations, as well as the company's Network division. Mr. Butler also oversees PAETEC's Wholesale Markets Group, including its reseller channel.

# History

Mr. Butler possesses more than 20 years of experience in the telecommunications industry in a variety of roles. Mr. Butler joined PAETEC Communications as a member of the founding officer team in 1998. Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Butler served ACC Communications for more than a decade in a number of executive and managerial positions.

# Community

Mr. Butler serves on the Comptel Alliance CEO Council. Mr. Butler is also Vice-Chairman for Compeer West, a not for profit United Way mentoring agency in Western New York.

# Keith M. Wilson

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

### Överview

Keith M. Wilson has served as PAETEC Communication's Chief Financial Officer since January of 2001. Mr. Wilson has been providing capital for telecommunications companies for more than a decade. He has been personally involved in raising and providing over \$15 billion in capital for telecommunications companies, including private equity, mezzanine debt, senior bank debt and public debt.

### History

Mr. Wilson most recently served as Vice President and Team Leader for the Telecommunications Finance Group at Union Bank of California, where he focused on sourcing and providing capital for telecommunications services companies in the wireline, wireless, and data-services markets. Prior to joining Union Bank of California, he served as Vice President of Merchant Banking and Head of Syndicated Finance for First Dominion Capital, based in New York. Mr. Wilson also has held positions with NationsBank, Bank of Boston, and Fleet Bank.

### Education

Mr. Wilson received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Dickinson College in Carlisle,

PA where he was a Nisbet Scholar, and a master's degree from The University of Michigan, in Ann Arbor, MI.

### Timothy J. Bancroft

Executive Vice President and Treasurer

### Overview

Timothy J. Bancroft has served as a senior officer for PAETEC Communications since June of 1998.

### History

From June 1993 to June 1998, Mr. Bancroft served as the Vice President, Finance for a subsidiary of Citizens Communications, Inc., a company engaged in a variety of telecommunications and utilities businesses. From 1971 to 1993, Mr. Bancroft held several financial positions with Rochester Telephone Corporation, now known as Frontier Communications Corporation.

### Community

Mr. Bancroft serves on the boards of the Hillside Children's Center and the Al Sigl Center in Rochester, N.Y. as well as the Perinton Recreation and Parks Commission in Perinton N.Y.

### Education

Mr. Bancroft holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from the Rochester Institute of Technology.

### Daniel J. Venuti

Executive Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

### Overview

Daniel J. Venuti has served as PAETEC Communication's Executive Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel since June 1998. Mr. Venuti has over 19 years of experience in corporate legal matters, with a concentration in telecommunications law.

### History

Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Venuti served as Vice President and General Counsel for ACC Telecom in Rochester, New York, with responsibility for all of ACC's U. S. legal and regulatory operations. Mr. Venuti joined ACC in 1994 and actively supported all aspects of ACC's long-distance, CLEC, Internet, and data services product offerings. He also successfully guided ACC's publicly traded parent company, ACC Corp, through a number of acquisitions, financing transactions, and secondary stock offerings.

Prior to assuming the General Counsel role at ACC, Mr. Venuti spent just under 10 years in private practice with Bond, Schoeneck, & King in Syracuse, New York. Mr. Venuti built a successful general corporate practice serving the various needs of the business community, while also developing a specialized practice focusing on telecommunications-related matters.

# Affiliations

Mr. Venuti is a member of the American Corporate Counsel Association, the Federal Communications Bar Association, the New York State Bar Association, and the Onondaga County Bar Association.

### Education

Mr. Venuti holds a J. D. from the State University of New York at Buffalo School of Law, where he graduated magna cum laude. He also has a Bachelor of Arts degree; magna cum laude, from Syracuse University.

### Richard J. Padulo

Executive Vice President, Engineering and Operations

### Overview

Richard J. Padulo has served PAETEC Communications as Executive Vice President, Engineering and Operations since joining PAETEC in June of 1998. Mr. Padulo has over 38 years of experience in the telecommunications industry; his technical experience includes central-office switching, operations, and teaching switch-center operations and management.

## History

Mr. Padulo began his career in the U.S. Army as a communications specialist. Mr. Padulo followed his military service with employment at Rochester Telephone Corporation, now known as Frontier Corporation. In 1992, Mr. Padulo joined ACC Telecom as the Director of Operations, where he assisted in the management of the long-distance operations in the United States and Canada. In 1994, Mr. Padulo assisted in the start-up of ACC's local telephone subsidiary, ACC National Telecom, where he assisted with business planning, and subsequently assumed the position of Director of Operations and Engineering. He was also involved in building 9 switch sites and networks for the core of the business.

### **Chris Bantoft**

President, Western Region

### Overview

Chris Bantoft serves PAETEC Communications as President, Western Region.

# History

Mr. Bantoft's career spans more than 30 years of international business management. Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Bantoft served as Chief Executive Officer for ACC Telecom Europe, where, in a span of four years, he developed an entrepreneurial startup business into a \$140 million enterprise with 350 employees. Mr. Bantoft also architected the international expansion of ACC Telecom into Germany, and brokered the successful sale of the business. Prior to his tenure at ACC Telecom, Mr. Bantoft's career encompassed industries from consumer goods to office systems. His first role in the telecommunications industry was as Managing Director of Alcatel Business Systems in the United Kingdom.

### Education

Mr. Bantoft holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics from London University.

### Joseph D. Ambersley

Executive Vice President, Mergers and Acquisitions

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Joseph D. Ambersley has served as an Executive Vice President for PAETEC Communications, Inc, since June of 1998, and was appointed Executive Vice President, Mergers and Acquisitions, in April of 2000. Mr. Ambersley has also served as President, Southern Region, of PAETEC Communications between June 1998 and April 2000.

### History

Mr. Ambersley has worked in the telecommunications industry for more than two decades, beginning in 1983 with Microtel, Inc. in Boca Raton, Florida. He served as Vice President of Carrier Sales for ATC/Microtel, and for seven years was Vice President of Carrier Sales at National Tel of Florida. Mr. Ambersley was elected to the Board of Directors of ACTA, America's Carriers Telecommunications Association, one of the national trade associations representing interexchange carriers, and served in that capacity from 1995 to 1998. He has also served as the secretary/treasurer of the Associated Communications Companies of America (ACCA) since 1995. Prior to 1983, Mr. Ambersley served as the Athletic Director at the University of West Florida in Pensacola.

### Education

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In 1997, Mr. Bono founded the Bradford M. Bono Charitable Trust. The trust was organized to assist several charities that specialize in the cure and treatment of various diseases affecting children.

### Education

Mr. Bono holds a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from the University of Delaware.

# Jeffrey L. Burke

Executive Vice President, Managed Services and Information Technology

### Overview

Jeffrey L. Burke serves PAETEC Communications as Executive Vice President, Managed Services and IT. He has held this post since March of 2003.

### History

Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Burke served as president of CXO Partners, an independent consulting firm focused on assisting emerging technology companies in achieving their business objectives. He was previously the Chief Executive Officer and co-founder of NetSetGo, Inc., a regional Internet professional services firm with offices in eight states across the eastern United States. Mr. Burke also served in executive roles at both Xerox Corporation and Digital Equipment Corporation where he successfully developed new technology-based service businesses.

### Community

Mr. Burke serves on the board of directors of the American Lung Association, Finger Lakes Region, and is a former board member and supporter of the Rochester & Syracuse Epilepsy Foundation. He also serves on the advisory board of numerous businesses, including Relevant Technologies, Emenete Business Services, Document Dynamics, 2Logical and Genesee Valley Trust.

### Éducation

Burke holds a Bachelors of Science degree in Accountancy from Bentley College.

### Edward J. Butler Jr.

Co-Chief Operating Officer

### Overview

Edward J. Butler, Jr. serves PAETEC Communications as Co-Chief Operating Officer. In this capacity, Mr. Butler holds overall responsibility for PAETEC's Engineering and Operations organizations, as well as the company's Network division. Mr. Butler also oversees PAETEC's Wholesale Markets Group, including its reseller channel.

# History

Mr. Butler possesses more than 20 years of experience in the telecommunications industry in a variety of roles. Mr. Butler joined PAETEC Communications as a member of the founding officer team in 1998. Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Butler served ACC Communications for more than a decade in a number of executive and managerial positions.

# Community

Mr. Butler serves on the Comptel Alliance CEO Council. Mr. Butler is also Vice-Chairman for Compeer West, a not for profit United Way mentoring agency in Western New York.

### Keith M. Wilson

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

#### Overview

Keith M. Wilson has served as PAETEC Communication's Chief Financial Officer since January of 2001. Mr. Wilson has been providing capital for telecommunications companies for more than a decade. He has been personally involved in raising and providing over \$15 billion in capital for telecommunications companies, including private equity, mezzanine debt, senior bank debt and public debt.

### History

Mr. Wilson most recently served as Vice President and Team Leader for the Telecommunications Finance Group at Union Bank of California, where he focused on sourcing and providing capital for telecommunications services companies in the wireline, wireless, and data-services markets. Prior to joining Union Bank of California, he served as Vice President of Merchant Banking and Head of Syndicated Finance for First Dominion Capital, based in New York. Mr. Wilson also has held positions with NationsBank, Bank of Boston, and Fleet Bank.

## Education

Mr. Wilson received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Dickinson College in Carlisle,

PA where he was a Nisbet Scholar, and a master's degree from The University of Michigan, in Ann Arbor, MI.

### Timothy J. Bancroft

**Executive Vice President and Treasurer** 

### **Overview**

Timothy J. Bancroft has served as a senior officer for PAETEC Communications since June of 1998.

## History

From June 1993 to June 1998, Mr. Bancroft served as the Vice President, Finance for a subsidiary of Citizens Communications, Inc., a company engaged in a variety of telecommunications and utilities businesses. From 1971 to 1993, Mr. Bancroft held several financial positions with Rochester Telephone Corporation, now known as Frontier Communications Corporation.

### Community

Mr. Bancroft serves on the boards of the Hillside Children's Center and the Al Sigl Center in Rochester, N.Y. as well as the Perinton Recreation and Parks Commission in Perinton N.Y.

### Education

Mr. Bancroft holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from the Rochester Institute of Technology.

### Daniel J. Venuti

Executive Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

### Overview

Daniel J. Venuti has served as PAETEC Communication's Executive Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel since June 1998. Mr. Venuti has over 19 years of experience in corporate legal matters, with a concentration in telecommunications law.

### History

Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Venuti served as Vice President and General Counsel for ACC Telecom in Rochester, New York, with responsibility for all of ACC's U. S. legal and regulatory operations. Mr. Venuti joined ACC in 1994 and actively supported all aspects of ACC's long-distance, CLEC, Internet, and data services product offerings. He also successfully guided ACC's publicly traded parent company, ACC Corp, through a number of acquisitions, financing transactions, and secondary stock offerings.

Prior to assuming the General Counsel role at ACC, Mr. Venuti spent just under 10 years in private practice with Bond, Schoeneck, & King in Syracuse, New York. Mr. Venuti built a successful general corporate practice serving the various needs of the business community, while also developing a specialized practice focusing on telecommunications-related matters.

# **Affiliations**

Mr. Venuti is a member of the American Corporate Counsel Association, the Federal Communications Bar Association, the New York State Bar Association, and the Onondaga County Bar Association.

### Education

Mr. Venuti holds a J. D. from the State University of New York at Buffalo School of Law, where he graduated magna cum laude. He also has a Bachelor of Arts degree; magna cum laude, from Syracuse University.

## Richard J. Padulo

Executive Vice President, Engineering and Operations

### Overview

Richard J. Padulo has served PAETEC Communications as Executive Vice President, Engineering and Operations since joining PAETEC in June of 1998. Mr. Padulo has over 38 years of experience in the telecommunications industry; his technical experience includes central-office switching, operations, and teaching switch-center operations and management.

# History

Mr. Padulo began his career in the U.S. Army as a communications specialist. Mr. Padulo followed his military service with employment at Rochester Telephone Corporation, now known as Frontier Corporation. In 1992, Mr. Padulo joined ACC Telecom as the Director of Operations, where he assisted in the management of the long-distance operations in the United States and Canada. In 1994, Mr. Padulo assisted in the start-up of ACC's local telephone subsidiary, ACC National Telecom, where he assisted with business planning, and subsequently assumed the position of Director of Operations and Engineering. He was also involved in building 9 switch sites and networks for the core of the business.

### **Chris Bantoft**

President, Western Region

## Overview

Chris Bantoft serves PAETEC Communications as President, Western Region.

### History

Mr. Bantoft's career spans more than 30 years of international business management. Prior to joining PAETEC, Mr. Bantoft served as Chief Executive Officer for ACC Telecom Europe, where, in a span of four years, he developed an entrepreneurial startup business into a \$140 million enterprise with 350 employees. Mr. Bantoft also architected the international expansion of ACC Telecom into Germany, and brokered the successful sale of the business. Prior to his tenure at ACC Telecom, Mr. Bantoft's career encompassed industries from consumer goods to office systems. His first role in the telecommunications industry was as Managing Director of Alcatel Business Systems in the United Kingdom.

### Education

Mr. Bantoft holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics from London University.

### Joseph D. Ambersley

Executive Vice President, Mergers and Acquisitions

### Overview

Joseph D. Ambersley has served as an Executive Vice President for PAETEC Communications, Inc, since June of 1998, and was appointed Executive Vice President, Mergers and Acquisitions, in April of 2000. Mr. Ambersley has also served as President, Southern Region, of PAETEC Communications between June 1998 and April 2000.

### History

Mr. Ambersley has worked in the telecommunications industry for more than two decades, beginning in 1983 with Microtel, Inc. in Boca Raton, Florida. He served as Vice President of Carrier Sales for ATC/Microtel, and for seven years was Vice President of Carrier Sales at National Tel of Florida. Mr. Ambersley was elected to the Board of Directors of ACTA, America's Carriers Telecommunications Association, one of the national trade associations representing interexchange carriers, and served in that capacity from 1995 to 1998. He has also served as the secretary/treasurer of the Associated Communications Companies of America (ACCA) since 1995. Prior to 1983, Mr. Ambersley served as the Athletic Director at the University of West Florida in Pensacola.

### Education

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Mr. Ambersley received a Bachelor of Science degree from Florida State University in 1972, and a Master's degree from Rollins College in 1976.